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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))	Attorney Docket No.	15499RRUS02U
	First Inventor	Paul Boudreaux
	Title	GEOGRAPHIC REDUNDANCY FOR CALL SERVERS IN A CELLULAR SYSTEM BASED ON A BEARER-INDEPENDENT CORE NETWORK
	Express Mail Label No.	EU836032316US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents	ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231
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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 27]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
-Descriptive title of the invention
-Cross Reference to Related Applications
-Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
-Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
-Background of the Invention
-Brief Summary of the Invention
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
-Detailed Description
-Claim(s)
-Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Pages 7]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3]

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
b. ☐ (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)

a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

ii. ☐ paper

c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))

10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☒ Power of Attorney

11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☒ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. 1) USPTO Credit Card Pymt;

17. ☒ Other: 2) Auth. for Prosecution form

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: _____

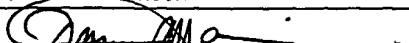
Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group Art Unit: _____

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Application Number
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First Named Inventor Paul Boudreaux
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

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- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☐ Check ☒ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Fee Description	Fee Paid
Utility filing fee	750.00
Design filing fee	
Plant filing fee	
Reissue filing fee	
Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL(1)	(\$) \$750.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Fee From Below

	Extra Claims	Fee Paid
Total Claims 20 -20** 0 X 18 =	0	0.00
Independent Claims 5 -3** 2 X 84 =	2	168.00
Multiple Dependent		

Fee Description

Claims in excess of 20

Independent claims in excess of 3

**Reissue independent claims over original patent

**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 168.00

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Description

Surcharge-late filing fee or oath
Surcharge- late provisional filing fee or or cover sheet
Non-english specifications
For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
Extension for reply within first month
Extension for reply within second month
Extension for reply within third month
Extension for reply within fourth month
Extension for reply within fifth month
Notice of Appeal
Filing a brief in support of appeal
Request for oral hearing
Petition to institute a public use proceeding
Petition to revive - unavoidable
Petition to revive unintentional
Utility Issue Fee (or reissue)
Design Issue Fee
Plant Issue Fee
Petitions to the Commissioner
Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
Submissions of Information Disclosure Stmt
Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) \$40.00
Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
Request for expedited Examination of design application
Other fee (specify) _____
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SUBTOTAL (3)

\$40.00

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**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
UNDER
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor

Paul Boudreaux

Title

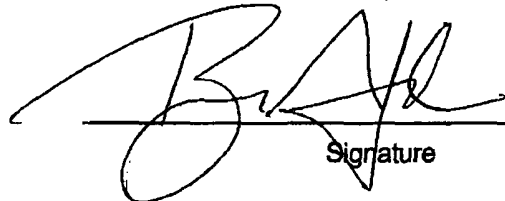
GEOGRAPHIC REDUNDANCY FOR CALL SERVERS IN A
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15499RRUS02U

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not** be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

July 8, 2003
Date


Signature

BRUCE GARLICK
Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application upon filing.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

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